

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77647

Kazuhiko NAGANO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/670,792

Group Art Unit: 2828

Confirmation No.: 4366

Examiner: James VANNUCCI

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For: LASER APPARATUS IN WHICH LASER DIODES AND CORRESPONDING
COLLIMATOR LENSES ARE FIXED TO MULTIPLE STEPS PROVIDED IN BLOCK

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136


Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 20, 2006 to September 20, 2006.

The statutory fee of \$450.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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